



IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Application. No:	10/725978
Filed:	December 1, 2003
Inventor(s):	Daniel Morellec, Gilles Le Traon, & Yoann Bouchet
Title:	Large Capacity Automatic Distributor, Particularly for Optic Fibres; Device and Method for Automatic Connection/Disconnection of the Binding Fibres within the Distributor

Examiner:	Connelly-Cushwa, Michelle R.
Group/Art Unit:	2874
Atty. Dkt. No:	5957-01100

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B. Noel Kivlin

May 9, 2005
Signature Date

**PETITION UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136
FOR EXTENSION OF TIME**

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Applicant respectfully petitions the Commissioner for a three month extension of time under 37 C.F.R. §1.136 within which to respond to the Official Action mailed November 8, 2004, such extension allowing the undersigned until May 9, 2005 to respond.

A Fee Authorization is enclosed to cover this extension fee. However, if the Fee Authorization is missing or insufficient, the Commissioner is authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Meyertons, Hood, Kivlin, Kowert & Goetzl, P.C. Deposit Account No. 50-1505/5957-01100.

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Respectfully submitted,


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Date: May 9, 2005



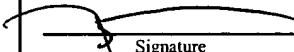
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FEES AUTHORIZATION

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge the following fee to Meyertons, Hood, Kivlin, Kowert & Goetzel, P.C. Deposit Account Number 50-1505/5957-01100:

Fee: Three Month Extension of Time
Amount: \$1,020.00
Attorney Docket No.: 5957-01100

The Commissioner is also authorized to charge any extension fee or other fees which may be necessary to the same account number.

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